X-MEN

DOOMSDAY

DAYS OF FUTURE PAST

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YEAR 20.

HGGH... GHG...

BLOOD PRESSURE'S 160 OVER 110--

MADRIPOOR.

IT'S GOING TO BE ALL RIGHT, KATYA.

BUD' SIL'NYM, LYUBOV' MOYA. TY SIL'NAYA...

PUSHING ANOTHER FOUR OF MAG SULFATE... GET READY TO *PUSH, KATE...*

HRR. HGH... *HOW'S* IT...HNG... GOING OUTSIDE THERE, GUYS?

HENRY "HANK" McCOY, PhD, A.K.A. BEAST. GENIUS FOUNDING MEMBER OF THE X-MEN.

FORGE. SUPER-INVENTOR.

NO ONE ANSWERED. THEY WERE A LITTLE BUSY TRYING TO BUY TIME FOR *THE TWINS* TO MAKE THEIR GRAND ENTRANCE.

LOGAN!

AND I KNEW IT *WASN'T* GOING WELL.

SLASH

HGH!

AAAAAAAAGGH!

THAT'S GOOD, KATE. ALMOST... THERE...

THEY'RE *HERE...*

THEY'RE HERE...

WE HAVE TO LEAVE *RIGHT NOW.*

SHE JUST GAVE *BIRTH,* SCOTT. SHE CAN'T EVEN STAND...

I *CAN.*

TAKE THE BABIES. *I'LL* TAKE SCOTT.

WE'LL BUY YOU SOME TIME.

TAKE THIS.

WHAT IS IT?

FIVE MINUTES AGO, IT WAS AN OBSTETRIC *SPHYGMO-MANOMETER.* NOW IT'S A *PULSE CANNON.*

HOPEFULLY.

ZHUNE

ORORO!

OH MY GOD...

FRANKLIN RICHARDS, A.K.A. POWERHOUSE.

MY LOVE, WHAT HAVE THEY DONE TO YOU?

RACHEL SUMMERS. MUTANT-HUNTING MUTANT, A.K.A. A "HOUND."

ZHOOM

TAKE THEM BOTH INTO *CUSTODY.*

GET OUT OF HERE, HANK! I'LL COVER YOU!

SHRAM

X-MEN DON'T LEAVE X-MEN BEHIND--

CHOOM

SHRAM

WE'LL COVER *EACH OTHER,* FORGE...

FWOOSH

AGGGGH!

HANK!

YOU CYBERNETIC BASTARDS!

SLAM

HNGG...

OH NO...

SURPRISE

IT WAS A BLAST MEANT TO ***STUN.***

THE SENTINELS, IT TURNS OUT, HAD ***PLANS*** FOR FORGE THAT WERE ***WORSE*** THAN DEATH.

X-MEN: DAYS OF FUTURE PAST

DOOMSDAY

IN A DYSTOPIAN FUTURE WHERE FEAR AND HATRED OF MUTANTS RUNS UNCHECKED, ANY MUTANTS NOT ALREADY SLAIN ARE APPREHENDED AND IMPRISONED. THIS IS THE TRAGIC STORY OF HOW THOSE DARK DAYS CAME TO PASS…

As growing anti-mutant sentiment became codified into law, Magneto seized control of the world's nuclear arsenal in an attempt to shift the global balance of power toward mutants. The X-Men tried to stop Magneto, but the ensuing battle left Phoenix dead and Cyclops without his eyes. In retaliation for Magneto's aggression, the government cracked down even harder on mutants, executing a coordinated attack on the X-Men's base of operations that killed many mutants, including their leader, Professor Xavier. But in the face of that tragedy, Kitty Pryde and Peter Rasputin chose hope, marrying each other amid the rubble of their former home.

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YEAR 22.

IN THE *YEARS* THAT FOLLOWED, THE SENTINELS ONLY STEPPED UP THEIR *AGGRESSION.*

MUTANTS WERE EITHER *BRANDED* WITH "M-BADGES," *IMPRISONED* IN CAMPS OR HUNTED BY *HOUNDS.*

NON-MUTANT *HEROES* TRIED TO STAND AGAINST THE RISING *FASCISM...*

RACHEL...

...WE'VE COME TO TAKE YOU *HOME.*

YOU KNOW US, RIGHT?

...BUT NOT WITHOUT *COST.*

SUSAN STORM-RICHARDS, REED RICHARDS, BEN GRIMM.
WHAT REMAINS OF "THE FANTASTIC FOUR."

I...KNOW YOU.

YOU'RE NOT... MY FIGHT. YOU'RE NOT *MUTANTS.*

OUR *SON FRANKLIN'S* A MUTANT. YOU USED TO *LOVE* HIM.

DON'T YOU *REMEMBER?*

I REMEMBER.

WHAT IN THE NAME OF AUNT PETUNIA'S EGG SALAD--?

BUT IF YOU TRY TO *STOP* ME...

...I HAVE TO STOP *YOU.*

AGH!

LET HIM GO, RACHEL!

SUZIE... REED...I LOVE YAS BOTH...

NOOOO!

HRRRR...

GH!

REED!

SUSAN... RUN.

I'M GOING TO *KILL* YOU...

SHUNK

HCK...

IRONIC.

THAT ONE COULD *SNEAK UP* ON "THE INVISIBLE WOMAN."

RACHEL.

YOU HAVE DONE WELL... MY LOYAL *HOUND.*

RORY CAMPBELL, A.K.A. AHAB.

"AND WHY IS *SHE* SO IMPORTANT?"

YEAR 26.

RACHEL IS SCOTT'S *DAUGHTER,* SEAN. I PROMISED HIM I'D FIND HER AND BRING HER HOME.

I UNDERSTAND, KATE. I'D GIVE *ANYTHING* IF IT'D BRING BACK MY THERESA.

BUT FROM WHAT I'VE *HEARD,* THERE'S NO "RACHEL" TO BRING BACK.

SHE'S ALL *HOUND* NOW.

SEAN CASSIDY, A.K.A. BANSHEE.

I GAVE SCOTT *MY WORD.*

YOU SAID YOU SAW HER IN THIS *NEIGHBORHOOD?*

THEN THIS MIGHT BE THE *TERRITORY* ASSIGNED TO HER--

AYE. *THREE* NIGHTS AGO.

"MIGHT" IS DOIN' AN AWFUL LOTTA *WORK* IN THAT SENTENCE.

DESPERATE TIMES, RIGHT?

AYE. AT LEAST LET ME GO WITH YE--

I CAN TAKE CARE OF MYSELF, SEAN.

YE RUN INTO TROUBLE, GIVE ME A *HOLLER* ON COMMS AND I'LL BE BACK WITH A *SCREAM.*

DEAL.

AND THANK YOU.

I SEARCHED FOR *HOURS*, BEGINNING TO THINK THAT SEAN WAS *RIGHT*, THAT RACHEL MIGHT NO LONGER BE IN THE AREA.

BUT THEN...

...I *FOUND* HER.

RACHEL.

IT'S ME. IT'S KATE... *KITTY.*

YOU REMEMBER ME, DON'T YOU? I'VE COME TO TAKE YOU *HOME.*

THE EYES THAT STARED BACK WERE AS FAMILIAR TO ME AS MY OWN NAME.

BUT WHAT I SAW *IN THEM* WAS A *RABID ANIMAL.*

NO!

KKOOM

BISHOP. TIME-TRAVELING, ENERGY-ABSORBING X-MAN.

MOVE OUT OF THE WAY!

GET AWAY FROM HER--

BLAST IT, WOMAN!

DAMMIT! YOU LET HER *GET AWAY!*

STOPPED YOU FROM *KILLING HER,* YOU MEAN--

IT'S SET TO *STUN.*

MINE'S *NOT.*

SO HOW ABOUT YOU GIVE ME ONE GOOD REASON-- EVEN A HALFWAY DECENT ONE, I'M NOT PICKY--***ONE REASON*** NOT TO ***KILL YOU*** RIGHT HERE AND NOW.

I'LL GIVE YOU ***TWO:*** YOU ***COULDN'T*** KILL ME NO MATTER HOW HARD YOU ***TRIED*** AND I'M HERE TO ***SAVE*** RACHEL SUMMERS.

YOU HAVE MY ATTENTION...

MY NAME IS ***BISHOP.*** I'M FROM ***ANOTHER FUTURE***-- AN ***ALTERNATE TIMELINE.***

IN ***SIX YEARS,*** THE OTHER WORLD POWERS ARE GOING TO LAUNCH AN ALL-OUT ***NUCLEAR STRIKE*** THAT WILL LEAD TO WORLD WAR III.

RACHEL SUMMERS IS THE ***KEY*** TO STOPPING IT.

EVERY WORD OF THAT PROBABLY SOUNDS ***RIDICULOUS.***

I'M AN ***X-MAN.*** WHAT YOU JUST DESCRIBED...

...***DOESN'T EVEN COME CLOSE*** TO ***OUR*** IDEA OF "RIDICULOUS."

SO TELL ME...

...HOW DOES ***RACHEL SUMMERS*** SAVE THE WORLD?

HE TOLD ME.

YEAR 27.

I DIDN'T *UNDERSTAND* MUCH OF IT, TO BE HONEST.

BUT I *PRAYED* HE WAS RIGHT.

IT TOOK OVER A *YEAR,* BUT EVENTUALLY, WE WERE ABLE TO *UNDO* AHAB'S BRAINWASHING.

THE LAST STEP--RETURNING HER TO AHAB--WAS STILL A RISK THOUGH. ONE WE HAD *NO CHOICE* BUT TO TAKE, ACCORDING TO BISHOP.

NANITE VECTOR INSERTION AT 98.99 PERCENT. REACQUIRING NEURAL CONTROL OVER THE SUBJECT.

EXCELLENT.

WELL, MY CHILD...HOW DO YOU *FEEL?*

BETTER.

WONDERFUL. THE MIGHTIEST OF ALL MY HOUNDS. RETURNED TO THE FOLD AND JUST IN *TIME.*

THE FINAL PURGE OF *HOMO SUPERIOR* IS ABOUT TO BEGIN. AND YOU, MY SWEET, WILL BE THE *TIP OF THE SPEAR.*

NO.

WHAT--?

YOU GOT TO ME WHEN I WAS *HURT.* WHEN I WAS *WEAK.*

I'M *NEITHER* OF THOSE THINGS ANYMORE, YOU *MONSTER.*

THEN YOU HAVE OUTLIVED YOUR USEFULNESS!

ACTUALLY...

...I'M JUST GETTING *STARTED.*

YOU *VIOLATED* MY MIND. TWISTED MY SOUL. YOU MADE ME *KILL* SO MANY...

HOLY WORK, RACHEL. YOU SHOULD *THANK* ME.

THANK YOU.

CHOK

HALT. CEASE AGGRESSIVE ACTION IMMEDIATELY.

HGH--

FRZZACK

EZZZACK

THAT'S FOR FRANKLIN'S *PARENTS.*

AAAAAAAH!

MURDER IS CAUSE FOR **ELIMINATION.**

BUT YOUR UNIQUE DNA SEQUENCE MAY STILL PROVE **USEFUL.**

FWIP

YOU WILL BE **RELOCATED TO AN INTERNMENT CAMP...**

...TO AWAIT **GENETIC EXPERIMENTATION.**

YEAR 28.

KATYA...

THEY'RE...GONE... OUR CHILDREN...

MY GOD...

THEY KILLED OUR BABIES.

YA ZNAYU.

I KNOW...

MUTANTS...STAND DOWN OR FACE ELIMINATION.

NO.

NO MORE *RUNNING*...

I'LL *FIGHT* DO MOYEGO POSLEDNEGO VZDOKHA-- TO MY LAST BREATH-- IF I HAVE TO--

PETER...

...DON'T. PLEASE.

BUT THEY--

TOOK EVERYTHING FROM US.

AND I'LL DIE IF I LOSE *YOU* TOO.

"WHATEVER HAPPENS NEXT, AT LEAST...

YEAR 29.

SOUTH BRONX, NEW YORK. MUTANT INTERNMENT CENTER.

"...WE'LL BE TOGETHER."

IT'S BEEN A *YEAR*...

...SINCE RACHEL AND FRANKLIN HAVE *BOTH* BEEN HERE *TOGETHER*.

IN THAT CASE, *AMENDS* ARE LONG PAST DUE, I WOULD SAY.

TRUE. BUT HOW *CAN* THERE BE? AFTER ALL...

"...SHE KILLED HIS *FAMILY*."

BUT THAT WASN'T *YOU*.

THAT'S THE THING, FRANKLIN... IT *WAS*.

THAT WAS THE *GENIUS* OF AHAB'S PROCEDURE. IT LEFT BEHIND THE BAREST...*SLICE* OF FREE WILL.

SO THAT I KNEW EXACTLY WHAT I WAS DOING THE ENTIRE TIME.

I DON'T KNOW *WHY* YOU WOULD EVER *FORGIVE* ME.

IT'S *EASY*...

...WHEN YOU *LOVE* SOMEONE.

THE X-MEN USED TO HAVE A SAYING: "*I WAS DEAD. BUT I GOT BETTER.*"

TODAY, THE JOKE SEEMS ***PERVERSE.*** BUT WHERE ***LOGAN*** WAS CONCERNED--WITH ALL HE'D BEEN THROUGH SINCE THE TWINS WERE BORN--IT WAS ***APT.***

IT TOOK SOME TIME, BUT ***MAGNETO*** EVENTUALLY ***FOUND*** HIM.

THE ***REUNION*** WENT ABOUT AS WELL AS COULD BE EXPECTED.

I OWE YOU ***BIG TIME,*** PAL--

I AM NOT YOUR ENEMY ***THIS TIME,*** X-MAN.

YEAH, RIGHT!

SAPHED RAANEE, A PRIVATE ISLAND OFF THE COAST OF INDIA.

LOGAN, ***NO!*** HE'S WITH ME!

JUBILATION LEE, A.K.A. JUBILEE. MUTANT FIRECRACKER.

JUBILEE MANAGED TO TALK LOGAN DOWN.

SHE'D ALWAYS BEEN ***GOOD*** AT THAT.

AND ONCE LOGAN'S ***BERSERKER RAGE*** HAD PASSED...

THE SENTINELS HAVE APPARENTLY EMBARKED ON ANOTHER ***INITIATIVE*** TO SOW CHAOS AS A MEANS OF ATTAINING EVEN ***MORE*** POWER.

THEY'VE ***WEAPONIZED*** THE PLANET ITSELF, CAUSING ***ENVIRONMENTAL CALAMITY.***

I'M NOT SAYIN' I BELIEVE YOU, BUB, BUT ***IF*** I DID, HOW'D A BUNCH OF ***ROBOTS*** MANAGE THAT?

BY ABDUCTING THE WOMAN ***POWERFUL ENOUGH*** TO MAKE IT HAPPEN.

BY ABDUCTING ***WANDA MAXIMOFF.***

HOOVER DAM.
CLARK COUNTY.
NEVADA.

LOGAN AND MAGNETO ULTIMATELY *TRACKED* THE *SCARLET WITCH* TO WHERE THE SENTINELS WERE HOLDING HER CAPTIVE...

WANDA...

DEAR GOD...WHAT HAVE THEY *DONE* TO YOU?

WANDA WAS HELD IN A TRAP OF *STEEL.*

WHICH MADE *MAGNETO* THE PERFECT PERSON TO RESCUE HER.

NOT THAT HE WAS *ALONE,* MIND YOU.

OOOHNNN...

I *GOT* YA, DARLIN'!

LOGAN... IS THAT MAGNUS?

YEAH, DARLIN'...IT SURE IS.

T-TELL HIM...

...NOT TO GIVE UP.

WANDA UNLEASHED THE FULL MIGHT OF HER POWERS...

...*DESTROYING* THE STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY OF WHAT HAD ONCE BEEN HER *PRISON.*

LOGAN, GET WANDA TO SAFETY. I'LL MEET YOU MOMENTARILY ON THE *OUTSIDE...*

YOU AIN'T COMING WITH US? WE GOT WHAT WE CAME FOR--

NOT QUITE.

"I'M GOING AFTER THOSE *RESPONSIBLE* FOR WHAT THEY DID TO WANDA."

AS HE ALWAYS DID, MAGNETO *FOUGHT* TO THE END.

SHUNK

AGGGH!

HIS END.

TO BE CONCLUDED!

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